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Independent Claims	2	5	0	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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This amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed on November 9, 2007, and is being timely filed within two months thereof.

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